# EXHIBIT 14 SECOND AFFIDAVIT OF IAN SMITH

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# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

**IN EQUITY NO. C-125-MDD** 

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Subproceeding:

**Presiding Judge** 

UNITED STATES,

Plaintiff,

WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,

Plaintiff-Intervenor,

VS.

WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT a corporation, et al.,

Defendants.

NAME OF PARTY: The United States of America

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** Fed. R. Civ. P. 56(c)(1) Second Verified Statement of

Ian Smith

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#### **EXHIBIT 14 – SECOND AFFIDAVIT OF IAN SMITH**

I, Ian Smith, state under oath:

- 1. I am a Principal Historian at Historical Research Associates, Inc. (HRA), in Missoula, Montana, where I have been employed as a professional historian since 2000. During the past two decades, I have completed research and provided historical analysis on several legal cases involving Native American land and water rights, as well as other issues, for federal, state, tribal, and private clients. I have also provided expert testimony in both federal and state court proceedings.
- 2. As a historian, I and my HRA colleagues have been retained by the United States to collect true and correct copies of historical documents concerning the Walker River Indian Reservation (and activities thereon) and, when necessary, to analyze

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- those documents to discern their meaning in context of related activities concerning the history of the Walker River Indian Reservation.
- I hereby certify that I or my HRA colleagues have collected true and correct copies of the following documents from the locations identified. Each document has been previously disclosed to Principal Defendants with the corresponding bates numbers.
  - a. Cross Examination of J. C. Stevens, Plaintiff and Appellant's Statement of the Evidence at 1450–1496, *United States v. Walker River Irrigation District*, 11 F. Supp. 158 (D. Nev. Dec. 29, 1937) (No. C-125)
    - i. Retrieved from: U.S. District Court for the District of Nevada, Reno, NV
    - ii. Bates Number: US0031302-US0031348
  - b. Cross Examination of Elvin W. Kronquist, Plaintiff and Appellant's Statement of the Evidence at 135–86, *United States v. Walker River Irrigation District*, 11 F. Supp. 158 (D. Nev. Dec. 29, 1937) (No. C-125)
    - i. Retrieved from: U.S. District Court for the District of Nevada, Reno, NV
    - ii. Bates Number: US0029970-US0030021
- 4. These documents are attached to Plaintiffs' Notice of Errata as Exhibits 15 and 16.

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Subscribed and sworn before me this 6	day of November, 2020.
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My Commission Expires